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PATENTING REJECTION OVER A PENDING SECOND APPLICATION**

In re Application of: James A. Mott  
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Title: Combined Buffering of Infiniband Virtual Lanes and Queue Pairs

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